

To whom it may concern; Not being familiar with all the facts that has created this controversy, perhaps I may not be the most informed person to address your offices.

But in defense of XM radio, I as a subscriber will say that they provide an invaluable service when it comes to local weather and traffic. Being on the fringe of most of the radio stations emulating from the major metro areas XM is the only real source to get traffic conditions that I would otherwise have to wait until I was in range to receive. To be perfectly frank by that time it's too late to seek an alternate route to avoid the traffic delays.

As was suggested by a few sources, either get the metro stations to meet the need to the commuter or let XM do what they've been doing well this last few months. With gas prices at an all time high I'm will to accept traffic reports from any service who can give me what I need when I need it. That goes for both local and long distance information.

Sincerely  
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